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Re: Response to Your Comments on the document entitled
"Columbia River Impact Evaluation Plan", Rev 028515



Dear Commenter:

Thank you for your efforts in reviewing and commenting on the Columbia River Impact Evaluation Plan, Revision 0. We value your thoughts and insights on the Columbia River assessment, and will use them in the revision to this document as well as guidance for future river assessments.

The comments that you have provided on the Columbia River Impact Evaluation Plan were forwarded to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) on September 10, 1993. The DOE has started the comment response process. The DOE will revise the document as appropriate in response to the comments that have been provided. The DOE or their representatives may call you for additional details or clarification of your comments if necessary to ensure the response correctly addresses the intent of the comment. Each comment will be responded to individually.

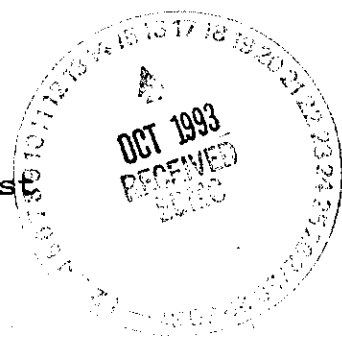
The DOE is working towards transmittal of comment responses back to the Environmental Protection Agency on November 30, 1993. I will forward the complete comment/response package to each of you as soon as possible thereafter. I think that it will be of interest and value to each of you to see other peoples' and agencies' interests and perspectives on the river.

If you have any questions regarding this document or comments and responses to the document, or other issues related to the Columbia River, please feel free to contact me. My phone number is (509) 376-9884. You may also write to me at the above address.

Sincerely,

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